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SUBJ: FEASIBILITY STUDY BY CZECHS FOR FERROALLOYS PLANT

REF: A-60 OF MARCH 27, 1973

1. CZECH FIRM SKODA-EXPORT SIGNED CONTRACT WITH BOLIVIAN GOVERNMENT ON JANUARY 15 TO DO FEASIBILITY STUDY ON CONSTRUCTION OF FERROTUNGSTEN AND FERROVANADIUM ALLOYS PLAN . PLANT ANNUAL OUTPUT CAPACITY TO BE 300 METRIC TONS OF FERROVANADIUM AND 500 METRIC TONS OF FERROTUNGSTEN. COST OF STUDY TO BOLIVIAN GOVERNMENT IS US\$ 30,000. PLANT LOCATION PLANNED TO BE CLOSE TO VIACHA, ABOUT 30 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF LA PAZ, AND ESTIMATED TO COST US\$ 3,500,000. SKODA EXPORT REPORTEDLY OFFERED TO FINANCE US\$ 2,000,000.

2. COMMENT: EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS ARTHUR D. LITTLE CO. DID PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR THIS PROJECT.
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